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Dear Tom,

Thank you ever so much for your letter of congratulations on my new assignment. I am truly grateful for the honor and also humble at the immensity of the task.

I appreciate your difficulty in extending an invitation for me to visit you in Prague. However, I certainly look forward to seeing you again when you are next in Washington.

In the meantime, thanks and all the best.

Yours,



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Admiral, U.S. Navy

The Honorable Thomas R. Byrne
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